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Family Fun Day at Saddle Rock Ranch





Left: Legislator Anker participated in judging the annual chili contest at the annual Family Fun Day.

Right: Councilman Mike Loguercio, Legislator Sarah Anker, Patrick Donohue, the President of Project9Line, and Manny Arias who is a veteran and also helped judge the chili contest!

MIDDLE ISLAND, NY – On Sunday, May 15th, Suffolk County Legislator Sarah Anker attended the annual Family Fun Day at Saddle Rock Ranch hosted by Great Strides Long Island and Project9Line. The event included live music, face painting, hay rides, horse rides, sack races, egg toss, and tug-of-war. Legislator Anker participated in judging the annual chili contest. The winner was Robert Grego, who took home the winning sombrero. All proceeds from the event benefit the veterans program at Saddle Rock Ranch and Project9Line, a not-for-profit organization that helps veterans with reintegration into civilian life and also helps veterans who suffer from Post-traumatic Stress Disorder.

"The collaboration between Great Strides Long Island and Project9Line is truly extraordinary," said Legislator Anker. "The community-based programs offered at Saddle Rock Ranch are specifically designed to meet a variety of needs for children, adults, and veterans of all abilities. Thank you to everyone who contributed to the Family Fun Day which will help the programs at Saddle Rock Ranch continue to thrive."

Saddle Rock Ranch is located in Middle Island and is the home of Great Strides Long Island. For more information, please visit www.greatstridesli.org.